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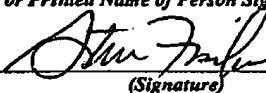
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In response to the Official Action issued January 12, 2005, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

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